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**PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 2860**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: GEIDL et al
APPLICATION NO.: 09/993,331
FILED: November 6, 2001
FOR: Natural Input Recognition System and
Method Using a Contextual Mapping Engine and
Adaptive User Bias

EXAMINER: H. Vo
ART UNIT: 2655
CONF. NO: 5686

Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This communication is a response to the Office action dated August 9, 2005 (hereinafter "the Office action"). Please consider the following amendments and appended remarks, which applicants submit places the case in condition for allowance.